

To: CDE HSS Framework Committee

Dear CDE HSS Framework Committee,

Hope all is well. Thank you for the opportunity to review the CDE History Social Studies Framework. My name is Grace Nall and I recently served as a CDE Adoption Reviewer for English Language Arts and English Language Development of Common Core Curriculum Materials in 2015. I'm also a National Board Certified Teacher and a public school teacher in the San Diego Unified School District.

Upon reviewing the HSS framework, it is my hope the committee will take into consideration the following suggestions or recommendations:

- 1) In Chapter 7, Grade Four-California: A Changing State
-Lines 25 to 53: Why did different groups of immigrants decide to move to California?
Please include the influence of San Diego as a military town, as well as Filipino servicemen in the US Armed Forces and the US Veterans (US Navy, Marines, etc.)
- 2) In Chapter 7, Grade Four-California: A Changing State
- Lines 580-586, Please include the historical influence of Larry Itliong, California Hero and Filipino Farmworker Labor Leader, who initiated the Delano Grape Strike.
New legislation in California occurred in 2015 recognizing "Larry Itliong Day as October 25."

Please see the following news coverage links:

Article Title: "Larry Itliong Day Celebrated in Honor of Filipino-American Labor Leader" - Oct. 23, 2015 (NBC News)

<http://www.nbcnews.com/news/asian-america/larry-itliong-day-celebrated-honor-filipino-american-laborer-leader-n450046>

- 3) Please include recent California legislation of 2015 and Ron Bonta authoring AB 7 honoring Larry Itliong, California Hero and Filipino Labor Leader Article Title: "Governor Approves Bonta Bill to Establish "Larry Itliong Day" in California

<http://asmdc.org/members/a18/news-room/press-releases/governor-approves-bonta-bill-to-establish-larry-itliong-day-in-california>

In the article, it states "The bill requires the Governor to annually proclaim Larry Itliong's October 25th birthdate as "Larry Itliong Day" in the state and would encourage public schools to teach about Itliong's life and contributions to California."

It is my hope you will consider the additions and recommendations to the California HSS Frameworks.

Respectfully,
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